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ACTION EB-08

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FM AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5230

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E.O. 11652:SN/A
TAGS: EWWT GT
SUBJECT: DECREE 41-71

REF: GUATEMALA 1591

1. RE DECREE 41-71, THE MINISTER OF ECONOMY DEPARTED GUATEMALA FOR CONFERENCES WITHOUT ADVISING EMBASSY OF ANY DEVELOPMENTS IN RESPONSE TO FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION POSITION.

2. NONETHELESS, THE ISSUES WERE DISCUSSED INFORMALLY WITH EMILIO PERALTA OF FLOMERCA. HE STATED THAT GUATEMALAN SHIPPING LINES HAD BEEN UNABLE TO OBTAIN FMC APPROVAL OF A SUGGESTED JOINT STUDY GROUP ON THE PROBLEM: THE APPROACH WHICH HE STILL CONSIDERS BEST. HE EXPRESSED OPINION THAT GUATEMALAN CONGRESS CANNOT BE BROUGHT SOON TO CHANGE DECREE 41-71. YET, HE SAYS 20 PERCENT/ 80 PERCENT FORMULA IS VERY DUBIOUS. (FROM THIS DISCUSSION, IT WAS NOT CLEAR WHAT A JOINT STUDY COMMISSION WOULD STUDY) FINALLY, RE TIMING OF GOG RESPONSE TO FMC, SR. PERALTA INTIMATED THAT HE MAY BE CHARGED TO PRESENT REPOSE TO EMBASSY IN NEXT FEW DAYS.

3. FROM EMBASSY DISCUSSION WITH SEATRAN LINES, INC. OFFICIAL (THOMAS SHINN), IT APPEARS THAT WAIVERS FOR US-
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FLAG CARRIERS CONTINUE TO BE ISSUED BY GUATEMALA. SEATRAN HAS ENGAGED JOSE BANUS AS LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE.
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Message Attributes

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